

January 30, 2002

Ref: 000-00000

Honorable Philip N. Asprodites
Commissioner of Conservation
Post Office Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: Hearing Application
2200' Zone, Reservoir A
4850' Zone, Reservoir A
DELTA DUCK CLUB FIELD, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana
Applicant: Clayton Williams Energy, Inc.

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, application is hereby made on behalf of **Clayton Williams Energy, Inc.** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the 2200' Zone, Reservoir A and 4850' Zone, Reservoir A, Delta Duck Club Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

2200' Zone, RESERVOIR A

1. To create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 320 acres for the 2200' Zone, Reservoir A, designated as the 2200' RA SUA, Delta Duck Club Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, all as shown more particularly on the attached plat;
2. The 2200' Zone, Reservoir A, in the Delta Duck Club Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing Zone encountered between the measured depths of 2,590 feet and 5,279 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Clayton Williams Energy, Inc.-Timolat No. 1 Well, located in Section 2, Township 21 South, Range 19 East.

4850' Zone, RESERVOIR A

1. To create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 320 acres each for the 4850' Zone, Reservoir A, designated as the 4850' RA SUA, Delta Duck Club Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, all as shown more particularly on the attached plat;
2. The 4850' Zone, Reservoir A, in the Delta Duck Club Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing Zone encountered between the measured depths of 5,675 feet and 7,862 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Clayton Williams Energy, Inc.-Delta Duck Club No. 2 Well, located in Section 2, Township 21 South, Range 19 East.

For Above Zones

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the said units;
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the units so created, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation;
3. To provide for the future reclassification of the reservoir without the necessity of a public hearing, if such reclassification becomes necessary due to a change in production characteristics of the reservoir;
4. To consider such other matters relating to the subject reservoir as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the public hearing.

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, the Commissioner of Conservation, the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation and all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties known to the applicant after a reasonable search were notified in writing in the pre-application notice dated January 18, 2002 that a conference to discuss the proposed application was tentatively scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Monday, February 11, 2002. It was stated at that time that this conference would be held only if a request to confer were received by the undersigned within ten (10) calendar days after the date of the pre-application notice. No requests to confer were received either in writing or by telephone and, in accordance with the Rules of Procedure, the tentatively scheduled conference **WILL NOT BE HELD**.

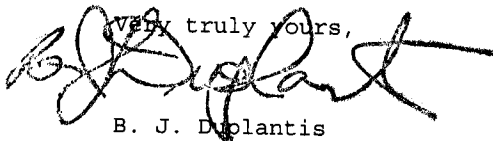
Attached hereto and made a part hereof are plats outlining the 2200' Zone RA SUA and 4850' RA SUA, Delta Duck Club Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, and a list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties to whom this notice is being sent. It is hereby certified that a reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties. A copy of the list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties is not being mailed to those parties along with this pre-application notice. Should any such party desire a copy of this list, however, we will be glad to provide one upon request.

A copy of the list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties is not being mailed to those parties along with this hearing application. Should any such party desire a copy of this list, however, we will be glad to provide one upon request.

Any pertinent data relating to the proposed unit can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, from Mr. W. H. Robbins, of William H. Robbins & Associates, Inc., 140 Rue Beauregard, Suite 100, Lafayette, LA (337) 232-5004.

Finally, there is enclosed herewith our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$1400.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation, representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,



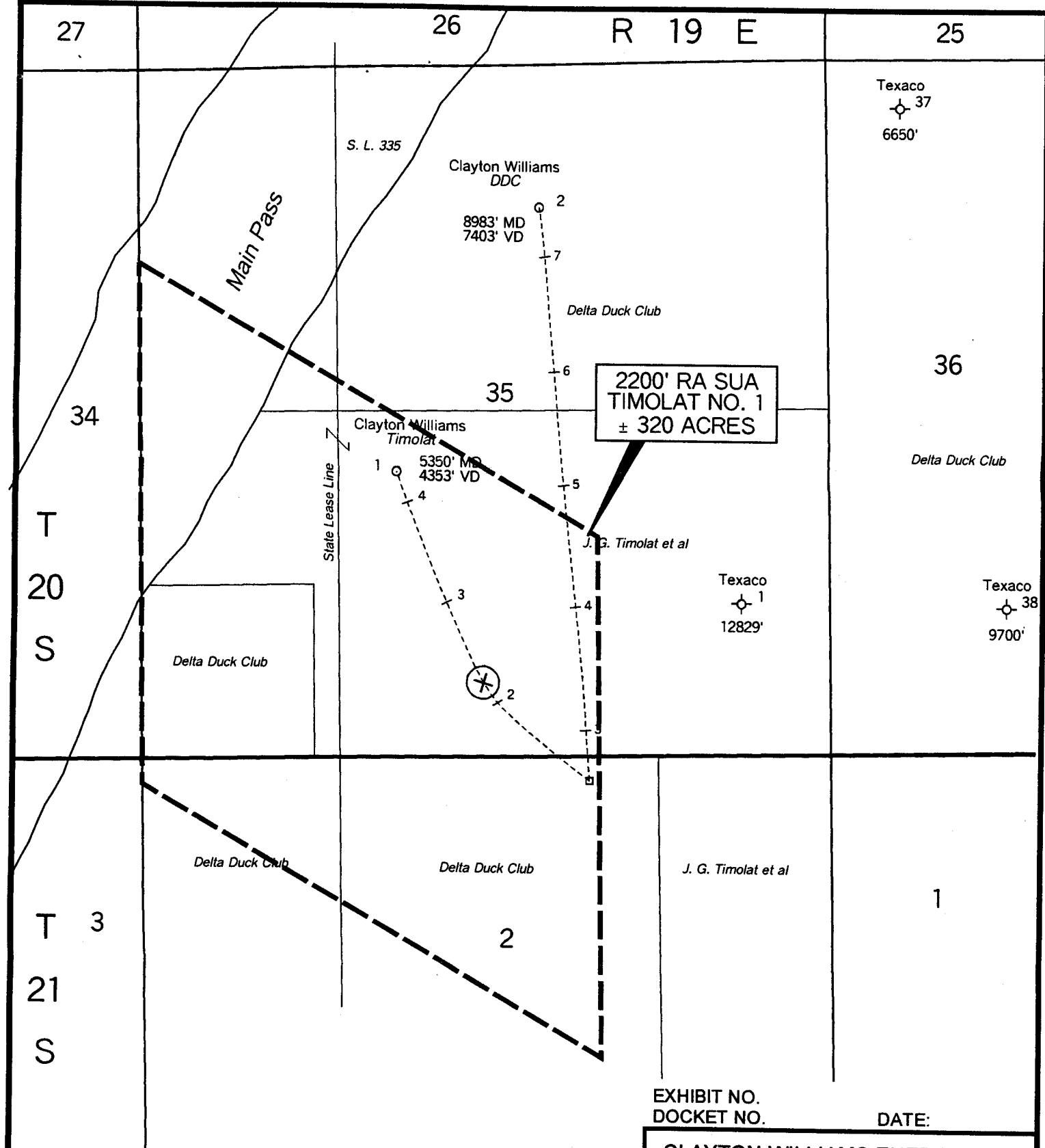
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Attachments

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson, District Manager
Office of Conservation

All Interested Owners, Represented Parties and
Interested Parties



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DOCKET NO.

DATE:

CLAYTON WILLIAMS ENERGY, INC.

DELTA DUCK CLUB FIELD
PLAQUEMINES PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT
2200' ZONE

0 1000' 2000'

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
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Texaco

 37
 6650'

Main Pass

S. L. 235

Clayton Williams
DDC8983' MD
7403' VD

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4850' RA SUA
 DELTA DUCK CLUB NO. 2
 ± 320 ACRES

Delta Duck Club

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Delta Duck Club

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Clayton Williams
Timolat5350' MD
4353' VD

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State Lease Line

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